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1003-H1-264 **Mark Bollman*** (mbollman@albion.edu), Dept. of Mathematics and Computer Science, Albion College, Albion, MI 49224. *Evolution of the Liberal Arts Mathematics Course in the 20th Century.*

The notion of a "liberal arts mathematics" course, a terminal mathematics course for non-specialists, was nonexistent in 1900, but was an important part of many department curricula by 2000. This paper will examine how the content and mission of this course changed over the 20th century. (Received September 05, 2004)